

PATENT ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 0074/010001

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Masaharu MATSUMOTO et al.

Art Unit: 2652

Application No.: 09/899,994

Examiner: Young, W.

Filed

: July 9, 2001

Title :

: SIGNAL PROCESSING DEVICE AND SIGNAL PROCESSING METHOD

Commissioner for Patents

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Technology Center 2600

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 14, 2004, applicants hereby submit the enclosed papers including an Amendment under 37 CFR 1.111.

The required fees are calculated below:

Total Claims Independent

<u>19</u> - <u>20</u> 3 - 3 = 0

\$0.00

TOTAL FEE DUE:

\$0.00

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE THIS FEE AND ANY OTHER FEES WHICH MAY BE REQUIRED OR CREDIT ANY OVERPAYMENT TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 19-2586, REFERENCING ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 0074/010001. THIS IS A GENERAL AUTHORIZATION EXCLUDING ONLY PAYMENT OF THE ISSUE FEE.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: September 14, 2004

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